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SUBJECT: LOCKHEED AND THE FRG

1. DEPUTY ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE IN JUSTICE HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT FRG EMBASSY PRESENTED TO IT AN OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION CONCERNING ERKEL'S PLANNED VISIT TO WASHINGTON FOR THE PURPOSE OF RENEGOTIATING THAT PART OF THE JULY 9 TEXT WHICH IN EFFECT PRECLUDES BUNDESTAG COMMITTEE USE OF THE SEC/LOCKHEED DOCUMENTS. FRG EMBASSY WAS TOLD THAT JUSTICE WAS NOT AMENABLE TO ANY CHANGES IN THE TEXT, AND THAT THIS POSITION WAS FINAL. EMBASSY IS NOW TRANSMITTING THIS RESPONSE TO FMOJ.

2. IN VIEW THIS DEVELOPMENT, IT PRESENTLY UNCERTAIN WHETHER ERKEL WILL PROCEED WITH TRIP.

3. FYI: RE VOGEL CHARGES REPORTED BONN 14719 THAT USG PROVING DIFFICULT IN MATTER OF TRANSFER OF DOCUMENTS,
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EMBASSY SHOULD BE AWARE THAT JUSTICE POSITION ON THIS

QUESTION IS FIRM. JUSTICE INSISTS THAT THE RECIPROCAL EX-
CHANGE OF INFORMATION BE KEPT WITHIN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT
CHANNELS OF THE RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES, AND NOT GET INTO
POLITICAL OR LEGISLATIVE BODIES. THIS REQUIREMENT IS
ESSENTIAL FOR THE PROTECTION OF BOTH INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND

THE INTEGRITY OF OUR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS. THE ONLY
EXCEPTION TO THIS REQUIREMENT IS THE AGREEMENT CONCLUDED
WITH THE DUTCH. JUSTICE MAINTAINS THAT DUTCH AGREEMENT
IS SUI GENERIS BECAUSE OF ITS LIMITED FOCUS, I.E. PRINCE
BERNHARD. IT DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A PRECEDENT FOR ANY
OTHER AGREEMENT, AND JUSTICE SO INFORMED THE FRG DELE-
GATION WHICH WAS HERE IN JULY.
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